

CITY'S BIG BUSINESS OUTLAWS "BOOZE"; DRINKERS CARELESS

Manufacturers Declare Drink Lessens Efficiency of Employees and Contributes to Accidents. Big business in Philadelphia has outlawed rum. Manufacturers here, at a time when fighting nations declare liquor has no place in war, add their testimony that it has no place in peace.

ACCIDENTS DUE TO DRINK

An executive officer of the William Cramp & Son Ship and Engine Building Company declared that a large proportion of industrial accidents are caused because men have been drinking and that the growth of employers' liability legislation may compel large employers of labor to refuse to give work to any one who drinks.

AUTO THIEVES CONFESS

Three self-confessed automobile thieves, who testified that they had used a heavy machine from 40th street and Girard avenue to 53d street and Belmont avenue, and afterward sold it for \$225, were held this morning in \$1000 bail each for a further hearing on April 10. The car was owned by John Elckard, of 4222 Girard avenue.

THOMPSONS VISIT CITY

Arthur Graham Thompson and his wife, who was the Baroness Edith Elster, of Vienna, are in Philadelphia following their marriage in Elkton, Md., Saturday. The Baroness has returned to New York on Wednesday after spending six months in Galicia as a Red Cross nurse. News of the marriage came as a surprise to her friends in this country. Mr. Thompson is president of the Henry G. Thompson Manufacturing Company, of New Haven, and head of the Kimball Company, of Manhattan.

MOUNT SINAI BALL

Arrangements have been completed for the 15th annual charity ball of the Mount Sinai Hospital, which will be held Monday evening, April 12, at the Academy of Music. The attendance at this year's affair is expected to exceed that of last year. To make this occasion excel those that have been held in years previous is the aim of the committee in charge.

Six Miners Dead, Many Missing

LITCHFIELD, Ill., April 5.—Six men have been taken out dead and 14, who are missing, are believed to have been killed in a gas explosion in the Shoal Creek Coal Company mine at Panama today. When the explosion occurred there were 46 men at work in the mine.

Large Posse on Gumen's Trail

LYNN, Mass., April 5.—Seventy-five policemen, aided by a posse of 100 armed citizens, are pursuing through the woods two young gunmen, who choked Charles F. Brown in his father's jewelry store today and then stepped him with a revolver butt.

Many Impelled by Fire

CHICAGO, April 5.—Eight persons were overcome by smoke and a score or more others barely escaped burning to death today when fire attacked the exclusive apartment house at 316-5. Fine Grove avenue. Damage amounted to more than \$10,000.

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STREET PERILS PICTURES

Decalcomania Supplied to School Children by Rapid Transit Company. Decalcomania are being supplied by the Rapid Transit Company to almost every public school pupil in Philadelphia to educate children in the dangers of playing in the street. This is the latest step in the "safety-first" movement which has made itself felt throughout the entire country.

COUNCILMEN DEFY HOUSING MANDAMUS

Order for Organization of New Division Does Not Perturb City Fathers. Members of Councils are not greatly perturbed today over the possibility of their being held in contempt of court, for ignoring the mandamus issued one month ago by Common Pleas Court No. 5, to compel the establishment of the municipal division of housing and sanitation under the act of 1911. The writ of mandamus expires today.

GIRL DYING AFTER ATTEMPT TO ESCAPE

Inmate of Court Aid Society Falls to Ground When Rope Breaks. An attempted escape from the detention ward of the Court Aid Society, at 1704 Spruce street, early this morning may prove fatal to May Ellmore, 20 years old, of 1235 South 21st street. The girl attempted to lower herself from a second-story window by a rope made of bed-clothing. She fell nearly the entire distance and fractured her skull.

DR. RICHMOND LEAVES CITY

Additional complications in the tangled affairs of the Rev. George Chalmers Richmond and his opponents among the membership of St. John's Episcopal Church, are expected today when an attempt will be made to elect a vestryman. Doctor Richmond said last night there would be no election, as he would be out of the city on a visit to a parishioner, Judge Ferguson, last week ordered the election to take place today, but Doctor Richmond denied that his leaving the city would be an evasion of the law. The courts have ordered that the vestrymen of the church refrain from contributing church funds to pay for the rector's defense. Some of his parishioners evaded this yesterday by voluntary contributions of several hundred dollars. Members of the Sunday school gave more than \$100.

Runaway Horses Hit Trolley

Smashed glass flew and passengers in an Erie avenue car were badly shaken up this afternoon, when a brewery truck, drawn by runaway horses, collided with the car at Master street. The truck, owned by Joseph Straubmuller, of Trenton and Boston avenues, was standing outside the home of Adam Stein, the driver, at 1246 Calver street, when a passing wagon frightened the horses. They stopped after striking the street car.

Upholds Verdict Against P. R. R.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—A \$4,000 verdict against the Pennsylvania Railroad, won by the Puritan Coal Company, of Cambria County, Pa., for discrimination in supplying freight cars, today was affirmed by the United States Supreme Court. The railroad contended complaint should be made to the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Liner Tuscania Safe in Port

LIVERPOOL, April 5.—The liner Tuscania arrived from New York today after an uneventful voyage.

ONRUSH OF CROWDS IN CHESTER REVIVAL ROUSES BACKERS

Tabernacle to Be Enlarged in View of Increasing Attendance at Meetings of Evangelist Nicholson. Converts Grow in Number. [FROM A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.] CHESTER, Pa., April 5.—Church members and ministers who are backing the Nicholson-Hemming revival campaign in this city are elated today over the success scored by the Rev. William P. Nicholson last night, when he preached to a capacity tabernacle audience and converted 74 persons.

GUMMERE ACCUSED OF FAVORING "INTERESTS"

New Jersey Senator Asks Governor Not to Reappoint Supreme Court Justice. Charges that the Public Service Corporation and "other privileged interests" are actively backing Chief Justice Gummere, of the New Jersey Supreme Court, are made in a letter which was sent to Governor Fielder, New Jersey, today, protesting against the reappointment of Justice Gummere, by Senator Charles O'Connor Hennessey, of Bergen County. He asserts that the Justice's career "from the time he left the employ of the Pennsylvania Railroad has been always in favor of property rights."

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TIRED OF BEING MAYOR

Tar Ditch Executive Asks Constituents to Make Him Sheriff. "I'm the guy who made Tar Ditch what it is. Didn't I drive all the pigs out? Didn't I handle all your laws and keep the roads clean? And all you voters have done is to sit in the grandstand and applaud. I don't want to be mayor any longer. Make me sheriff." This is the plaint of George Washington Hershaffer, mayor of Tar Ditch, who tried to sidestep the honor of reelection as chief executive of that thriving section yesterday. "Tar Ditch" is a pigless paveless community of dirt roads and bathhouses lying along the bank of the Schuylkill River just below Point Breeze. An Easter parade through almost two feet of snow and mud was a feature of the inaugural ceremonies in the locality yesterday.

PLAN TO MAKE JULY 4 CELEBRATION GENERAL

Declaration of Independence to Be Read in Every U. S. City, Is New Idea. The Declaration of Independence will be read in every city in the United States at the same time next July 4, if nationwide co-operation can be obtained. This will be one of the striking features in connection with the national celebration of Independence Day in Philadelphia. Numerous citizens who will take a prominent part in the big event have suggested that when the famous document is read during the ceremonies at Independence Hall patriotic citizens at similar exercises in other cities read it at the same time.

MAN STABBED IN NECK

Frolic Results in Injury of One and Arrest of Another. Antonio Bennessetto, 35 years old, of 309 North 11th street, took a stroll on Easter afternoon, wearing his new Easter hat, a peppy gray creation with a striking band. He met Angelo Fabgesio, of 2111 Cambria street, on Germantown avenue. Fabgesio, in a spirit of humor, pulled the hat down about Bennessetto's ears, leaving the rim around the owner's face like the chin strap on a soldier's helmet. When Bennessetto remonstrated Fabgesio pulled a penknife and stabbed him in the neck. Fabgesio was held in \$500 bail for a further hearing by Magistrate Grells at the Elmer and Midvale avenues police station this morning. A nearby physician dressed Bennessetto's wounds.

CRACKSMEN MURDER THREE MEN; ESCAPE

Burglars Kill Restaurant Owner and Two Employes in Robbery Attempt. NEW YORK, April 5.—A triple tragedy occurred in the restaurant at 566 2d avenue early today, when safe crackers murdered the proprietor, Otto Zinn, and two employes. The murders were committed with a meat cleaver, wielded with almost superhuman force.

A Viv Ham deserves to be properly prepared

Carefully selected for flavor and tenderness, as it is—skillfully sugar-cured and smoked—your Viv Ham will be entrancingly good to the taste, if you prepare it this wise: Place in cold water and bring to a boil, putting a rack or plate under it to keep it from scorching. Boil for three hours. Cool, peel off the skin. Stick 25 cloves, heads up, in the fat and bake three hours, basting with claret or sweet cider. Yes, it's just great, that way—real ham!

What Every Mother Knows

It is the pang of parting when "her boy" matriculates into manhood. It is the severance of the last ties which somehow seem to bind the short-trousered lad to Mother's heart as the babe whom she has nurtured!

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